



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 5108

February Session, 2008

* HB05108LABAPP022908 *

AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS IN CAREER DEVELOPMENT SERVICES, INCUMBENT WORKER TRAINING AND APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 12-217g of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
3 *1, 2008*):

4 (c) There shall be allowed a credit for any taxpayer against the tax
5 imposed under this chapter for any income year with respect to wages
6 paid to apprentices in the construction trades by such taxpayer in such
7 year that the apprentice and taxpayer participate in a qualified
8 apprenticeship training program, as described in this section, which (1)
9 is at least [four] two years in duration, (2) is certified in accordance
10 with regulations adopted by the Labor Commissioner, and (3) is
11 registered with the Connecticut State Apprenticeship Council
12 established under section 31-22n. The tax credit shall be [(A)] in an
13 amount equal to two dollars per hour multiplied by the total number
14 of hours completed by each apprentice toward completion of such
15 program, [and (B) awarded upon completion and notification of
16 completion of such program in the income year in which such
17 completion and notification occur,] provided the amount of credit
18 allowed for such income year with respect to each such apprentice
19 may not exceed [four] one thousand dollars or fifty per cent of actual

20 wages paid [over the first four] for each income [years] year for such
21 apprenticeship, whichever is less.

22 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2008*) The sum of one million six
23 hundred thousand dollars is appropriated to the Labor Department,
24 from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, for the
25 development of job opportunities for unemployed and
26 underemployed older youth and adult workers by the One-Stop
27 Centers, pursuant to section 31-3gg of the general statutes, in
28 collaboration with the regional workforce development boards.

29 Sec. 3. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2008*) The sum of three million one
30 hundred thousand dollars is appropriated to the Labor Department,
31 from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, for
32 incumbent worker training in collaboration with the regional
33 workforce development boards.

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2008</i> | 12-217g(c) |
| Sec. 2 | <i>July 1, 2008</i> | New section |
| Sec. 3 | <i>July 1, 2008</i> | New section |

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